

**In the Claims:**

*Please delete the heading “Claims” and insert --What is Claimed is:-- therefor.*

*Please amend the claims as follows:*

1. (original) A microwave oven liner comprising:
  - a roof, a floor, a back and two sides (“the floor and the other panels”),all being of food grade plastics material and of sufficient rigidity for automatic washing, the whole being sized to fit removably in a microwave oven and wherein the roof is shorter at the front, which is open, than the floor, to allow air to circulate for steam withdrawal from the oven
2. (original) A microwave oven liner as claimed in claim 1, wherein the roof is apertured for withdrawal of circulated air.
3. (original) A microwave oven liner as claimed in claim 2, wherein the aperturing of the roof is a series of holes acting as a coarse filter of spat food.
4. (currently amended) A microwave oven liner as claimed in ~~any preceding~~ claim 1, including an upstanding lip across the front of the floor, to retain spilt liquid.
5. (currently amended) A microwave oven liner as claimed in ~~any preceding~~ claim 1, including a series of ridges on the floor of the liner.
6. (original) A microwave oven liner as claimed in claim 5, wherein the ridges stand up to 5mm high.
7. (currently amended) A microwave oven liner as claimed in ~~any preceding~~ claim 1, wherein the ridges stand 2mm high.

8. (currently amended) A microwave oven liner as claimed in ~~any preceding~~ claim 1, wherein outside corners between the roof and other panels and the floor and other panels are chamfered or rounded to allow ready insertion of the liner into the oven without interference with oven corner seals.

9. (currently amended) A microwave oven liner as claimed in ~~any preceding~~ claim 1, wherein the liner is of sheet bent and adhered together.

10. (currently amended) A microwave oven liner as claimed in ~~any preceding~~ claim 1, wherein the liner is injection moulded.

11. (currently amended) A microwave oven liner as claimed in ~~any preceding~~ claim 1, wherein the liner is of two or more two parts, welded together.

12. (original) A microwave oven liner as claimed in claim 11, wherein the two parts are joined at mid-height, the back and sides tapering inwards to the floor and the roof from the joint.

13. (currently amended) A microwave oven liner as claimed in ~~any preceding~~ claim 1, wherein the liner has a mirror finish.

14. (original) A microwave oven liner as claimed in claim 13, wherein the liner is transparent.

15. (currently amended) A microwave oven liner as claimed in ~~any preceding~~ claim 1, wherein the liner is of polycarbonate or polypropylene material.

16. (original) A microwave oven liner as claimed in claim 15, wherein the material includes a fire retardant.